SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STANDING HEARING OFFICER DIRECTIVE

DOCKET NOS. 2018-401-E and 2019-51-E **ORDER NO. 2019-13-H**

FEBRUARY 11, 2019

Josh Minges Standing Hearing Officer

DOCKET DESCRIPTION:

Docket No. <u>2018-401-E</u> - Request of Beulah Solar, LLC for Modification of Interconnection Agreement with South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

And

Docket No. <u>2019-51-E</u> - Request of Eastover Solar LLC for Modification of an Interconnection Agreement with South Carolina Electric & Gas Company

MATTER UNDER CONSIDERATION:

The parties in these dockets have filed a <u>Joint Motion to Consolidate</u>, requesting that the Eastover Solar proceeding be incorporated in the Beulah Solar proceeding.

The parties state that both proceedings involve the same issues, Beulah Solar and Eastover Solar have common and aligned interests, and both are seeking common, affirmative relief in this matter. The parties further request that all filings made by Eastover Solar in Docket 2019-51-E be transferred to Docket 2018-401-E, and after the filings in Docket 2019-51-E are transferred to Docket 2018-401-E, then Docket 2019-51-E should be administratively closed.

The Parties further move to clarify that the schedule directed by the Commission in its Prefile Testimony Letter, filed on January 18, 2019 in the Beulah Proceeding also now incorporate Eastover Solar under the same deadlines as Beulah Solar.

Last, the parties maintain that the Office of Regulatory Staff consents to this Motion.

STANDING HEARING OFFICER ACTION:

The Joint Motion to Consolidate is granted as requested, and the proceeding in Docket No. 2019-51-E (Eastover Solar) is consolidated into the proceeding of Docket No. 2018-401-E (Beulah Solar).

All filings made by Eastover Solar in Docket 2019-51-E shall be transferred to Docket 2018-401-E, and after that transfer Docket 2019-51-E shall be administratively closed.

The schedule directed by the Commission in its Prefile Testimony Letter, filed on January 18, 2019 in Docket No. 2018-401-E also now incorporates Eastover Solar under the same deadlines as Beulah Solar. As requested, the Prefile Testimony Letter is amended to include Eastover Solar as follows:

- a) That Applicants, Beulah and Eastover, prefile with the Commission and serve the Direct Testimony and exhibits of witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before March 21, 2019;
- b) That all other Parties, including SCE&G, prefile with the Commission and serve the Direct Testimony and exhibits of witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before April 4, 2019;
- c) That Applicants, Beulah and Eastover, prefile with the Commission and serve any Rebuttal Testimony and exhibits of witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before April 11, 2019; and
- d) That all other Parties, including SCE&G, prefile with the Commission and serve any Surrebuttal Testimony and exhibits of witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before April 18, 2019.